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11. (C) Poloff delivered reftel demarche to Steve Ferrol, the Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs for Dominica, on April 22nd, 2009. Ferrol stated that the issue of Kosovo had been discussed in Caricom, but as of yet there has been no decision made. Ferrol knew of a letter between Kosovo and the Prime Minister's office, and went so far as to state that there were no negative feelings toward Kosovo. In regards to the vote, though, Ferrol declined to make any definitive statement.

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